

4-H Camp 2019

Montgomery County 4-H Camp

July 21 - 26 Ages 8-14

Held at 4-H Camp Graham, Clarksville OH

Arrive: 5:00pm on **Sunday** **Depart:** 3:00pm on **Friday**

Camper Fees: \$240* if 4-H Member; \$ 270 if non-4-H friend
(2nd & 3rd family members at \$205 and \$245, respectively)
*less \$15 credit from 2019 4-H Benefit Auction

Late fee charged if not postmarked by/received on July 15.

Forms also available at our website: montgomery.osu.edu, 4-H Youth Development



We say:
That's 'Camp' Folks!
Join us for 6 days of FUN
and FRIENDS at 4-H Camp 2019

Dear Parents and 4-H Members,

Thank you in advance for letting your child come and explore the “magic” of Montgomery County 4-H Camp this year - meeting new friends, singing goofy songs, campfires, range wars, camp classes, great food, picking on our Big Foot tribe (adult staff)! When asked the BEST “part” of 4-H Camp, kids most often say: “making friends that last a lifetime”.



Research from the American Camp Association (ACA) shows that at Camp, your child learns self-responsibility, leadership, friendship skills, team work and has lots of good FUN! And yes—they will make friends that last a lifetime!

There are 8-10 campers and 2-3 trained 4-H teen camp counsellors in each cabin. A nurse is on the grounds at all times. We have “911” service to Wilmington. 4-H Camp Graham is accredited by the American Camp Association- this means that our health and safety practices meet the top standards of the youth camping industry. Take a ‘tour’ of 4-H Camp Graham at their website: <http://4hcampgraham.osu.edu>

Campers sleep in bunk beds. Boys and girls each have a community facility for private showers/restrooms. Three nutritious meals are served each day, along with an evening snack and beverage. We have the camp canteen open daily where kids can purchase one candy and one pop/beverage per open time.

Each year, our 4-H Camp Counsellors complete 20 hours of training in order to be a 4-H camp leader. This training includes child protection policies of Ohio State University and risk management topics.

Please call/email with questions: **email:** wingenter.1@osu.edu **phone:** 937-224-9654

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Typical Day at 4-H Camp

8:30am Breakfast, Flags	2:00pm Class
9:30 Class	3:00 Free Time: Crafts, Swim, Hike
10:30 Class	5:30 Supper, Flags, Vespers
11:30 Cabin Clean Up	7:30 Evening Activities:
12:pm Lunch	Games, Dances, Campfires
1:00 Siesta	Talent Show, Range Game
	11:00pm Lights Out

2019 4-H Camp Classes taught Montgomery County 4-H Camp Counsellors & Staff

All camp classes are offered 2-days each, Monday & Tuesday AND Wednesday & Thursday

You get have 6 classes!

- **Beginning & Advanced Archery:** All equipment is provided. Beginners learn range safety, proper techniques, target practice. Advanced class focuses on skill and accuracy, as well as target practice.
- **Cake Decorating:** Learn and practice some basic techniques.
- **Campfire Cooking:** Learn how to start cooking fires, fire safety, and prepare foods using these fires
- **Cartoon Animation:** Make a flip book and learn a few basics
- **Crafts:** Learn how to make unique hands-on crafts as selected by our counsellors
- **Fishing:** Learn how to: bait your hook and cast; types of fish, bait; safety tips. *Ok to bring own pole.*
- **Geo-Caching (GPS):** Use hand held GPS units to search and locate geo-cache treasures hidden throughout camp. Learn how to geo-cache near you!
- **Kayaking: Ages 13 & 14 only** – learn the basics and use a kayak on canoe trip! Class in camp pool.
- **Leathercrafts:** Make your unique designs on leather.
- **Line Dancing - Beginning:** Learn the basic steps so you'll feel confident doing line dances at night!
- **Nature with the Fun-gi:** We will be in the woods and exploring the hidden wonders of the outdoors. Be sure to bring creek clothes.
- **Painting:** Use acrylic and water color paints to create your own art! Learn a few techniques.
- **Pottery:** Express your creativity by sculpting and making items from slabs of clay.
- **Soccer:** Learn basic skills & drills – Game ON!
- **Splash & Swim – Water Sports & Activities:** Campers must know how to swim for this class.
- **Volleyball:** Learn basic skills & drills to practice. Of course, play some fun games!
- **Wilderness Survival:** Learn skills to survive in the wilderness.
- **Woodworking:** Make a completed item to take home. Because of safety, wood will be pre-cut. Campers will sand, hammer, finish and use wood-burning tools to make their boxes.

Where is 4-H Camp held? 4-H Camp Graham, Clarksville, Ohio, near Caesar's Creek State Park. *"4-H Camp Graham is a safe, rustic woodland environment where youth and adults learn and play, developing life skills through hands-on educational programs, while making friendships that last a lifetime".*

Transportation? Families must provide transportation to and from camp.

What happens at 4-H Camp? **LOTS OF FUN, NEW FRIENDS, AND ADVENTURES.** Campers attend three classes each day. Free time includes swimming, hikes, sports, lots of surprises. Evening brings campfires, dancing, games, and skits. Campers get involved in leading and teaching activities.

CAMP FEES - include all meals, program materials, class supplies, accident insurance and evening snack. Camp group photo is **optional and costs extra**. Camp T-shirts are **\$15**. Canteen sells pop and candy at free time and during evening activities. Campers deposit their cash for a "credit card." Unspent cash is returned at check-out. For 2019: the success of our Benefit Auction will provide one camp group photo per family AND one \$15 credit per family.

What to bring, health information and map to camp are e-mailed when deposit and registration are received.



Non-4-H Member friends are welcome!

4-H CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

Please use ONE FORM per camper

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Camp Registration Deadline: July 15, 2019

(postmarked or received at office)

____ Check Payable to: OSU Extension Montgomery County, 580 Calumet Lane, Dayton, OH 45417

____ Credit Card: complete and sign section at bottom of registration form

____ Check here if it is **OKAY TO EMAIL** confirmation, health form and other camp details!

Camper Name _____ Age at Camp ____ Girl ____ Boy ____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

4-H Club _____ Email: _____

Name of friend you'd like in your cabin: _____ (will try to include at least 2 friends)

Any special needs or allergies: _____

4-H Member Fee \$ 240** _____

Non-4-H Member Fee \$ 270 _____

2nd or 3rd 4-H Family Member _____

\$ 205/\$245-nonmember _____

Canoe Trip (optional) \$ 12 _____

Late Fee (after July 16) \$ 25 _____

** Less 2019 4-H Benefit Auction - \$15 _____

A deposit of one-half the amount is due with registration. Balance is due at check-in. No refunds after July 20. Health Form & "What to Bring" list sent/emailed with confirmation.

Total Due: \$ _____ Amount Enclosed: \$ _____ Amount Due at Camp: \$ _____

Rank (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th) top 6 classes to take at Camp! There are 3 class sessions each day

*For class descriptions & teachers read on! All camp classes are 2 days each – **pick six (6)!***

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| ____ Beginning Archery | ____ Geo-Catching (GPS) | ____ Soccer |
| ____ Advanced Archery | ____ Kayaking (Ages 13-14) | ____ Splash & Swim |
| ____ Cake Decorating | ____ Leather Crafts | ____ Volleyball |
| ____ Campfire Cooking | ____ Line Dancing – Beginners | ____ Wilderness Survival |
| ____ Cartoon Animation | ____ Nature with Fun-Guys | ____ Woodworking |
| ____ Crafts | ____ Painting | ____ Your Idea: _____ |
| ____ Fishing | ____ Pottery | |

Credit Card Payment of 4-H Camp Fees - complete this section: (we will destroy after processing)

Name of Card Holder _____ Phone _____

Address (if different from above) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Circle one: Visa Master Card Discover American Express

Card # _____ Expiration Month/Year _____

Amount to charge to this card \$ _____

Signature of Card Holder: _____